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<u>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME</u>

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), an extension of time of one month is hereby requested to file a Request for Continuation along with an Amendment and Response to the Final Office Action filed concurrently herewith. An Office Action was mailed on July 22, 2009, for which a response was due October 22, 2009. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), a petition to extend the time of reply by one-month is hereby requested, bringing the deadline for response to Monday, **November 23, 2009**, as November 22, 2009 falls on a Sunday.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of \$65.00 (small entity) pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.17 and any additional fees associated with this communication, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 08-2461. Such authorization includes authorization to charge fees for extensions of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.17 and also should be treated as a constructive petition for an extension of time in this submission or any future submission pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136.

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